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MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner:

Applicant submits this Response to the Office Action to Applicant on April 22, 2008 in connection with the above-identified patent application. **Listing of Claims**, as amended, begin on Page 2. **Remarks** begin on Page 13 of this paper.

Applicant does not believe that filing this Amendment will incur additional fees. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due and credit any overpayments to the Glenn Patent Group Deposit Account No. 07-1445, Customer No. 22862 (Order No. SCHO0169).